

Attorney's Docket No. IR 3534

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

TYPE OF DECLARATION

This declaration is of the following type: **ORIGINAL**

INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, I believe I am the original, first and **JOINT** inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION

"CROSS-LINKABLE AQUEOUS FLUOROPOLYMER BASED DISPERSIONS
CONTAINING SILANES"

SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

the specification of which is attached hereto.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a).

PRIORITY CLAIM

No claim is made and no prior applications have been filed.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

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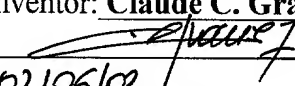
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DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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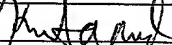
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